



Wildlife Center Volunteer Job Descriptions

Avian Volunteers

Avian volunteers at the MT WILD Wildlife Center assist staff with provision of care and enrichment for birds held at the facility. These volunteers also work with the ambassador birds. They are trained to safely walk the ambassador birds and provide public programs speaking about raptors in general and individual species.

Duties (in order of importance): Assisting staff with enclosure observation to ensure security and safety of birds held at the facility, cleaning indoor and outdoor enclosures, providing water, providing food to ambassador raptors, assisting staff with treatment of rehabilitation birds as needed, walking ambassador raptors, keeping record on ambassador weights and general health observations, speaking to public about raptors and ambassador raptor species.

Bear Volunteers

Bear volunteers at the MT WILD Wildlife Center assist staff with the provision of care and enrichment for the bears held at the facility while following strict guidelines to prevent habituation. Volunteers are responsible for feeding, cleaning, and adding enrichment to the enclosures to provide the best life in captivity possible. This position does require some lifting of heavy objects not exceeding 30 lbs.

Duties (in order of importance): Assisting staff with enclosure observation and record keeping, ensuring security and safety of bears held at the facility, cleaning bear enclosures, providing food and water, assisting staff during immobilization of bears by keeping accurate records during the process, providing enrichment items and opportunities, and collecting daily food donations.